



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

MEYRICK et al.

Application Serial No.09/647,479

Group Art Unit: 1714

Filed: September 29, 2000

Examiner: SHOSHO, C.E.

For: COMPOSITION BASED ON WATER-DISSIPATABLE POLYURETHANE

April 8, 2002

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AMENDMENT

Enclosed

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2002, please amend the above application as follows herein.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1, 2, 9, and 10 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following amended claims:

3. (Twice Amended) A composition according to claim 13 wherein the colorant is soluble in the polyurethane.

4. (Twice Amended) A composition according to claim 13 wherein the water-immiscible organic solvent is benzyl alcohol.

5. (Twice Amended) A composition according to claim 13 comprising:

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PATENT APPLICATION

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 Appln. Title: Composition Based in Water-Dissipatable Polyurethane

Sir:

REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER

Date: April 8, 2002

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. Small Entity claim	For B & C See Required Separate Paper (Pat-256)
A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT made	
B. <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn	
C. <input type="checkbox"/> made herewith	
D. <input type="checkbox"/> made previously	

	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Large/Small Entity	Additional Fee	Fee Code Lg/Sm
2. Total Effective Claims	9	**minus 20	0	x \$18/\$9 =	+ \$0	103/203
3. Independent Claims	1	***minus 3	0	x \$84/\$42 =	+ \$0	102/202
4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application)		add	+ \$280/\$140 =	+ \$0		104/204
5. Original due Date: April 14, 2002	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE					
6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached	(1 mo) (2 mos) (3 mos) (Usable only for ≤ 2mo.OA --- 4 mos) (Usable only for 30 day/1mo.OA --- 5 mos)	\$110/\$55 = \$400/\$200 = \$920/\$460 = \$1,440/\$720 = \$1,960/\$980 =	+ \$0			115/215 116/216 117/217 118/218 128/228
7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date and subtract		- \$0				
8.		Extension Fee Attached	+ \$0			
9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee		+ \$110/\$55	+ \$0			148/248
10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee under Rule 97 (c), or if Rule 97(d) Request	add add	+ \$180 + \$180	+ \$0			126 126
11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r)		+ \$740/370	+ \$0			146/246
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b)		x \$740/370 ea	+ \$0			149/249
13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		+ \$740/370	+ \$0			1179/1279
14. Petition fee for			+ \$0			
15.		TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =	\$0			

16. *If the entry in this space is less than entry in next space, the "Present Extra" result is "0".

17. **If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space

18. ***If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 3, write "3" in this space

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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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